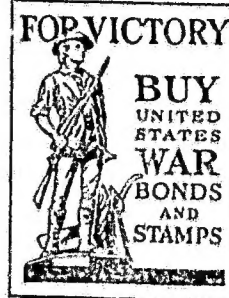


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BETHEL MAN DROWNS AS BOAT OVERTURNS

Jesse Vashaw of Berlin, formerly of Bethel, and Arthur Malloy of Berlin were drowned Sunday when a fishing boat overturned on Lake Mooselucmeguntic. The bodies have not been recovered. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Littlehale of Bryant Pond were thrown into the water at the same time, but were able to cling to the boat over an hour until rescued by Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Thurston of Portland.

Mr. Vashaw was born in Bethel Jan. 24, 1907, the son of the late Harry and Maude Vashaw. He was educated in the local schools and had been employed by the Brown Company. At the time of his death he was captain of the Brown Company steamer, Rowell. For the past 12 years he had lived at Berlin.

He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Ruby DeWitt of Old Town; four brothers, Fay, Thomas and Harry of Berlin, and Stanley of the U. S. Army; and a sister, Eva, of Rumford.

GOULD TRACK TEAM MEETS BUT ONE DEFEAT IN SEASON

Gould Academy, boasting one of the strongest high school track teams in the State, enjoyed one of its most successful seasons in the history of the school. A well balanced squad led by Captain "Bud" Runyon, outstanding hurdler, opened the season by defeating the Bates Frosh, Lewiston, and Rumford in a quadrangular meet. The boys from Gould accumulated as many points as the other three schools combined. Other teams defeated during the season were Wilton Academy, Mexico, Norway, Fryeburg Academy, and Lyndon Institute—a strong Vermont aggregation. The only defeat of the season was at the hands of Hebron Academy—Maine Prep School Champions, where the factors of age and experience combined to barely overcome Gould by a score of 53 to 55.

Of the five new track and field records broken this year, "Bud" Ireland, son of Gould's Headmaster, was singularly responsible for four. Ireland set a new century mark at 10:7, ran the 220 in 23.5 the quarter mile in 54:7, and won further laurels by broad jumping 20 feet 1 1/2 inches. Dick Bryant, yearling miler, set a new school record at 4:50.2. Great things may be expected of him as this is his first year in competition and his progress will be noted with marked interest in this section of the state.

Other standout performers were Whip Abbe, consistent score gatherer in the dashes, broad and high jump; Charlie St. Thomas, hurdler and high jumper; and Louis Littlehale, the team's capable weight man.

Although Coach Bob Bateman loses many of his tracksters to the college ranks there are a number of underclassmen who fill form a nucleus for next year's team.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

The amount of Defense Bonds and Stamps purchased this week at the Bethel Grammar School is as follows: Grade V, \$3.05; VI, \$5.55; VII, \$62.10; VIII, \$8.65.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore attended the graduation exercises of Wentworth Institute, Boston last week. Their son, Robert, was a member of the graduating class.

The Oxford County Medical Association banquet was held at Bethel Inn Wednesday evening. Ladies' night was observed. Dr. Thaxter and Dr. Blaisdell of Portland were the speakers. About 70 were present.

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MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM HELD DURING SHOWER

Local Memorial Day exercises Saturday afternoon were cut short by one of the showers which threatened throughout the day, a considerable downpour coming as the speaker of the day, David Nichols of Lincolnville, addressed a good sized audience.

The parade, which marched from the American Legion rooms to the Soldier's Monument, was headed by the Bethel Band. Organizations represented in the parade were the American Legion and Sons of Union Veterans and their Auxiliaries, Home Guard, Boy and Girl Scouts, and students of the village schools. Events at the Monument included invocation by Rev. M. A. Gordon, several selections by the Band, Lincoln's Gettysburg Address by Elmer Runyon II, short address by Mr. Nichols, and benediction by Rev. H. T. Wallace.

ALUMNI TO PLAY GOULD SATURDAY AFTERNOON

The Gould Academy Alumni will be on hand Saturday to meet the Academy nine as one of the attractions scheduled for the annual Class Day exercises. The game is scheduled to start at 4 p. m.

The Old Timers have had some practice this week and offer the following starting line-up: Clough, 3b; P. Brown, lf; D. Crockett, rf; Littlehale, c; Ed. Robertson, 1b; Saunders, cf; G. Smith, ss; Young, 2b; R. Brown, p.

Others who attended practice included Wheeler, Perry, and Clayton Crockett. The Alumni invite any other graduates wishing to play to make the fact known and they will be given an opportunity to take part in the game on Saturday.

PRIMARY ELECTION WARRANT STATE OF MAINE

County of Oxford, ss.

To the qualified and legally enrolled Voters of the Town of Bethel

You are hereby notified that the Primary Election in this Town, of all political parties, entitled by law to nominate candidates for the next election, will be held at Odeon Hall on Monday, June fifteenth next, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices to be voted for at the election to be held on the second Monday in September next, viz.:

United States Senator, Governor, Representative to Congress, State Senators, Clerk of Courts, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Eastern District, Register of Deeds, Western District, Sheriff, County Attorney, County Commissioner, Representative to Legislature.

The polls will be opened at Eight o'clock, in the forenoon, and continue open until Seven o'clock in the afternoon, when they will close.

Voters not enrolled as members of a political party entitled to nominate candidates will not be permitted to vote. Voters entitled to enrollment may cause themselves to be enrolled at the polling places during the primary election on taking and subscribing the oath required by law, but said voters shall not be allowed to vote at any primary election within the next six months following said enrollment unless a new voter, or a voter enrolling for the first time in that municipality.

The Selectmen will be in session at the Selectmen's Office on Thursday June 11th, Friday June 12th, and Saturday June 13th, 1942 for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Dated at Bethel this First day of June, 1942

ERNEST F. BISBEE
JOHN H. HOWE
CARROLL E. ABBOTT

Selectmen of the Town of Bethel

A true copy. Attest:
WALTER E. BARTLETT
Constable

GOULD'S WEEK-END COMMENCEMENT BEGINS SATURDAY

Gould Academy's second week-end Commencement activities will open Saturday afternoon with the Class Day exercises at Hanscom Hall.

Officers of the class are: president, E. Fremont Ireland Jr.; vice president, Herbertina Norton; secretary, Muriel Bean; treasurer, Virgil Adams.

The program:

Saturday, June 6
HANSCOM HALL 2:30 p. m.

Class Day
Address to Undergraduates, Jack Haines

Class History, Elizabeth Runyon

Class Will, Rosalie George

Gifts to Girls, Charles St. Thomas

Seabury Short

Gifts to Boys, Janet Smith

Toast to Faculty, Maxine Flanders

Class Ode, Patricia Gould

June Enman

ALUMNI FIELD 4 p. m.

Baseball Game, Gould vs. Alumni

HEADMASTER'S HOME 5 p. m.

Alumni Tea

WM. BINGHAM GYM 8 p. m.

Senior Reception, Frank Stevens Orchestra.

Sunday, June 7

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 2:30 p. m.

Baccalaureate. Speaker: Rev. John Robert Gee, Newport, Vt. Organist, Ward Steady, Berlin, N. H.

HEADMASTER'S HOME 5 p. m.

Headmaster's Tea for parents and members of the graduating class of 1942.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 7:30 p. m.

Musical Concert presented by Ward Steady and soloists.

Monday, June 8

WM. BINGHAM GYM 10 a. m.

Commencement Exercises

War March of the Priests, Mendelssohn

Invocation, Rev. H. T. Wallace

Salutatory, "Character," Herbertina Norton

Minuet from "Military Symphony" Haydn

Orchestra

First Honor Essay, "Leadership" Elmer Runyon II

The Pilgrims' Chorus from "Tannhauser" Wagner

Boys' Glee Club

Second Honor Essay, "Service" Elizabeth Gorman

The Path Leading Down to the River Stelnel

Girls' Glee Club

Valedictory, "Scholarship" Fremont Ireland Jr.

Gardens by the Sea, Chas. Repper

Land of Our Hearts, Chadwick

Varsity Glee Club

Commencement Address, Dr. Fred Englehart (President of N. H. University)

Awarding of Honors and Diplomas, Elwood F. Ireland (Headmaster)

Benediction, Rev. M. A. Gordon

Seniors Graduating

William Whipple Abbe, Virgil Raymond Adams, Marjorie Frances Alvord, Nicholas Paul Amato, William Storrey Bartlett, Edward Clark Bean Jr., Hope Elizabeth Bean, Muriel Edwina Bean, Ruth Mabel Bean, Ruth Elizabeth Bennett, Emma Matilda Blake, Gretchen White Brooks, Milton Mitchell Cameron, Arthur Eugene Chayer, Jane Constance Chesley, Donald Simonton Clark Jr., Annie Marlon Colby, Irving Alton Cummings, June Altrude Enman, Rachel Mary Field, Dorothy Carolyn Fish, Maxine Flanders, Marjorie Franklin Foster, Thirza Carroll Gay, Gertrude Rosalie George, Abigail Mary Gill, Elizabeth Ruth Gorman, Patricia Kay Gould, John Webster Haines III, Mark Everett Harvey, Mary Frances Holmes, Elwood Fremont Ireland Jr., Ruby

STUART RICH TO GRADUATE FROM WABASH COLLEGE

Stuart Rich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Rich of Torrington, Conn., and grandson of Elliott Rich of Bethel, is to be graduated from Wabash College at Crawfordsville, Ind., on June 8.

While in college, Mr. Rich majored in History and Economics, and minored in Psychology. He belonged to the track and cross country teams, the International Relations Club, and the French and German Clubs. He is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity, and recently was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, honorary scholastic society.

He has enlisted in the Naval Reserves, and plans to start training at the Great Lakes Naval Station in the fall.

FINGERPRINTS OF CIVILIAN DEFENSE FOLK TAKEN

One hundred and twenty-three men and women of Bethel were fingerprinted at Odeon Hall, Monday and Tuesday evenings, by Homer Farnum of Bryant Pond. These included air raid wardens, firemen, auxiliary firemen, auxiliary police and messengers.

Air raid wardens and auxiliary police of Newry were also fingerprinted here by Mr. Farnum.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL ASSEMBLY PROGRAM THIS MORNING

The following assembly program was given at Bethel Grammar School this Thursday morning:

Bible Reading, Elizabeth Marshall

Lord's Prayer, School

Flag Salute, led by Carl Wright

Award of certificates by Mr. Drummond for excellence in banking work to Rebecca J. Philbrick and Norma L. Hunt

Presentation of Good Citizenship medals by Adjutant Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven of the Bethel American Legion to Mary Elizabeth Ward and Edwin Emerson Swain Jr.

Star Spangled Banner, School

JANET PALMER TO PLAY ON MAINE MUSICALE

Miss Janet Lorraine Palmer, 13 year old saxophonist, will play three numbers Sunday at 5:15 o'clock from Station WCOU, Lewiston. She appears on the 6th weekly broadcast of the Mainente Musicale, a 15 minute program of music that enlightens.

This program has been the means of providing music students with a broadcast debut and experience under careful supervision, a fact appreciated by many for the opportunity.

Although several musicians of the surrounding communities have already made several appearances, Miss Palmer, a pupil of Anton E. Mainente, is the first one from Bethel to appear on this program.

A Democratic meeting sponsored by the town committee of Rumford was held at Hotel Harris, Wednesday evening. Those attending from Bethel were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Thurston, John Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Chapman and Mrs. Cella Gorman. Supper was served, followed by speakers.

Alice Jewell, Madeline Jordan, Patricia Elaine Lavery, Janice Margaret Lawrence, Barbara Frances Linnitt, Lester Lewis Littlehale Jr., Aizena Joyce Lord, Susie Lovejoy,

Oliver Perry Morton Jr., Frank Gray Murdock, Herbertina Vonnle Norton, Phyllis Elma Packard, Claire MacDonald Reid, Lysander Richmond III, William Vincent Robertson, Elizabeth Runyon, Elmer Ellsworth Runyon II, Seabury Tuttle Short Jr., Janet Ann Smith, Charles Edward St. Thomas, Ruth Arlene Walker.

*Honor Students.

TRIAL BLACKOUT TO BE HELD NEXT WED.

Local Civilian Defense chairmen have been ordered by Paul C. Thurston, County Coordinator, to arrange and carry out a complete blackout on Wednesday night, June 10. The warning will be given between 9 and 9:30 and the blackout will last about 20 minutes.

Besides Oxford County, the test will include Androscoggin, Cumberland, Lincoln, Sagadahoc and York Counties, and the southern and central portions of Kennebec County.

The first test blackout in this section on Friday evening, May 22, from 9:10 to 9:30, was successfully passed, although in many cases lights were extinguished rather than curtained.

CIVILIAN DEFENSE EXPLAINED TO C. OF C.

A very interesting and highly informative explanation of the program of Civilian Defense, especially as applied to communities like Bethel, was given by Headmaster Ireland at the meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce at the Legion Rooms Tuesday evening. While endorsing the plan as now developed, Mr. Ireland expects the possibilities of enemy activity hereabouts to be confined more to activity such as incendiary forest fires, which would be planned for a demoralizing effect. He gave a demonstration of methods used by the British in such warfare against the Nazi grain crops. Various types of gases and the likelihood of civilian casualties and panic were discussed.

At the business meeting it was voted to suspend meetings until October and a committee was appointed to have charge of a field day for members and their families if a feasible plan could be arranged. The advertising committee reported that the folders were in preparation. It was reported that the Oxford Hills and Lakes Association officials had decided not to sell the information booth as previously agreed, but had no objection to its use as an airplane lookout station on Paradise Hill, where it is now located. The meeting was preceded by an excellent steak supper, served by ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary.

HEALTH COUNCIL MEETS

A meeting of the Health Council was held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Upson Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Ruth Hopkins stated the few needs of the well baby conference to be held here in Bethel. Mrs. Henry Bennett was appointed to collect a few toys for the conference to be held at the Methodist Church July 8. There will be one at West Bethel sponsored by Farm Bureau, July 22. Mrs. Barbara Lawrence read a letter from an American nurse who witnessed the tragedy of Pearl Harbor, telling of her experiences. Pamphlets on nutrition and child welfare were discussed. It was voted to adopt the by-laws made at the last meeting. The next meeting will be July 1 at the home of Mrs. W. J. Upson at 2:30 in the afternoon.

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SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare

Last January, an official announcement said that the United States Army would reach a total of 3,000,000 men by the end of 1942. Since then, the actual size of the Army and precise plans for its expansion have not been announced, inasmuch as the first order, Some commentators have forecast that in time the Army might total nine or ten million. The best available information seems to indicate that a total of at least 6,000,000 will be attained.

That is obviously going to have a revolutionary effect on the manpower of this country. However, there is no factual evidence to support the scare rumors which say that every physically fit man under 30 is certain to be placed in uniform. Selective Service heads are making a genuine effort to create an Army of the size needed with minimum dislocation of American family life.

Here is how matters shape up at this time, according to published statements:

First, practically all available single men in the 20-35 year bracket have been called. Many who were given temporary deferment for occupational reasons are now being summoned in time, women and older men will replace thousands of young men in defense industries.

Second, the Selective Service Boards are placing in the 1-A classification all men who have no genuine claim for dependency. That includes men with working wives, men who contribute little to the support of their households, and men with means. Almost all of these men will be in uniform by the end of the year, unless they are unable to pass the physical examinations or perform vital work in war industry.

Third, it is universally believed that Congress will soon approve a bill providing government grants to dependents of service men. These grants, as now projected, are small—around \$50 a month for a wife and child. But they will make it possible for the Selective Service Boards to call thousands of men who are now deferred for economic reasons.

Fourth, a new draft classification, 3-B, has been adopted. And that is a matter of very great

importance. At the present time, men with genuine dependents are classified as 3-A. The 3-B classification is for men with genuine dependents who in addition are employed in war work. The hope is that thousands of men who now have non-war jobs will shift to war jobs in order to obtain the 3-B deferment. Some observers say that eventually the Selective Service Boards will operate on the "work or fight" policy which existed in World War I. In other words a man will be given the choice of going into the Army, or leaving a non-war occupation for a war occupation.

The industries which are classified as essential to the war effort are definitely limited in number. Lawyers, store clerks, newspaper men, wholesalers, advertising men, etc., have no claim for deferment. Deferment is given only to men who hold a job which is directly and absolutely necessary to the production and transportation of the raw and finished materials which are involved in war.

What this all adds up to is plain. If you are a single man, under 35, in reasonable health, you will go into the Army unless you are virtually irreplaceable in some industry. If you have dependents who look to you entirely for support, you will be deferred for the time being, but there is a strong likelihood that in time the continuance of your deferment will depend upon your obtaining a job in war industry. If you have minor physical defects, you are not exempt from military service. The original physical standards have been relaxed, and men with defective eyesight, hearing, feet, etc., are being called to the colors and assigned to non-combatant duty.

Many a problem remains to be worked out. An Army of 6,000,000 men would mean that four to six times that number would be needed in industries manufacturing and transporting supplies. On top of that, agriculture must be kept going, and on an expanding scale, inasmuch as we are sending tremendous quantities of foodstuffs to our Allies. Selective Service heads, such as General Hershey, have advised the Boards to exempt enough farm labor to keep food production up to the necessary level. But, reports say, in some areas the draft is virtually denuding the farms of labor. Furthermore, farmers cannot pay the high wages paid by war industry, and workers are naturally taking jobs in war

factories instead of on farms. This seems to be one of the most serious of the unsolved problems.

It is probable that the immediate course of the war will have a direct bearing on Army expansion plans here. If, for instance, Russia continues to hold the Germans, and Japan is stopped in the Pacific, a U. S. Army of the largest size possible will not be necessary. If on the other hand, Germany manages to crack the Russian defense this summer, and if Japan continues to win victories, you can look with assurance to Army expansion on a tremendously accelerated scale.

It is reported that men between 35 and 44, which was the second group registered, will as a general rule, be taken only for behind-the-lines Army service. It is expected that the greater proportion of this group will go to work in war industry. No plans have been made for the 45-65 group of registrants.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Miss Rebecca Carter has returned to the Brick End House.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cummings and daughter, Carol, called at Ernest Buck's Sunday.

Master James Swan is visiting his grandparents while his mother is in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens and daughter, Ruth, were in Albany, calling, Sunday.

Lawrence Kimball came home Tuesday for a week or two and is working on his farm.

Kidneys Must Work Well

For You To Feel Well
24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood. If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluids, excess acids and other waste matter they cannot stay in the blood without injury to health; there would be better understanding of why the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly.
Burning, scanty or too frequent urination sometimes warns that something is wrong. You may suffer nagging back-aches, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic pains, getting up at night, swelling.
Why not try Doan's Pills? You will be using a medicine recommended the country over. Doan's stimulate the function of the kidneys and help them to filter out poisonous waste from the blood. They contain nothing harmful. Get Doan's today. Use with confidence. At all drug stores.

DOAN'S PILLS

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Inez Whitman, Correspondent

Judith Grover Tent No. 17, D. of U. V. met at the home of Mrs. Verna Swan on the evening of May 25 and made wreaths for Memorial. There were fourteen present and all had a social evening and had ice cream for refreshment.

Judith Grover Tent, No. 17, D. of U. V. met Tuesday evening, May 26 at the Social Hall and had an early meeting and then went to the High School graduation.

Friday, members of Judith Grover Tent No. 17, D. of U. V. went to the cemeteries outside the village and placed the flags and wreaths on the soldiers graves.

Memorial exercises were, as follows: The march, headed by Paris Band met at the Grange Hall and was, as follows: T. Walter Gordon as marshal, who is a Spanish war veteran, Judith Grover Tent, No. 17, D. of U. V., American Legion and Auxiliary, Home Guard and Boy Scouts followed by school children. All marched to Lake Side Cemetery where the Soldiers graves were decorated, and then marched back to the hall, where a short program was given by the school children under the direction of Mrs. Iva Farrar, Patriotic Instructor, D. of U. V. and then a fine address was given by Rev. Alton J. Merrill.

Among some of the Memorial and week-end visitors, were Miss Myrtle Bacon and brother, Ralph M. Bacon, of Boston, Mass.; Charles Young and Mrs. Bertha Houghton of Somerville, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. M. Parker Allen and children, Jack and Patricia of South Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McAllister, Mrs. Muriel Scott, Murry Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell, all of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lakeway are spending the week in Littleton, N. H.

Miss Gertrude Farnum of South Portland is sick with the mumps at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Carrie DaVe.

Herbert Berrymont, returned home from the Berlin Hospital last Friday, and is gaining from his operation for appendicitis.

G. Bertrand Whitman, of Haverhill, Mass., plans to spend the summer at the Old Whitman Homestead where he is at the present.

Shirley Lakeway of Hope Valley, R. I., was the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Volney Lakeway. His son, Frederic, who has been with his grandparents the school year, will return with him.

A reception was given Saturday evening May 30th at the Grange Hall for Mr. and Mrs. G. Bernard Cushman who were married at

Norway that afternoon. There was a large attendance of relatives, members of the Grange and friends. Mrs. Marian Mason and Mrs. Verna Swan had charge of the presents of which there were an abundance and Mrs. Annie Davis had charge of the guest book. Relatives and friends had charge of the refreshments of which there was an abundance.

Mrs. Cushman was Miss Pauline Howe, R. N. of Dr. Dixon's Hospital at Norway. Mr. and Mrs. Cushman have many friends who wish them much happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews and his mother, Mrs. Nancy Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston and Mrs. Inez Whitman attended the Circle supper at Albany, Thursday night.

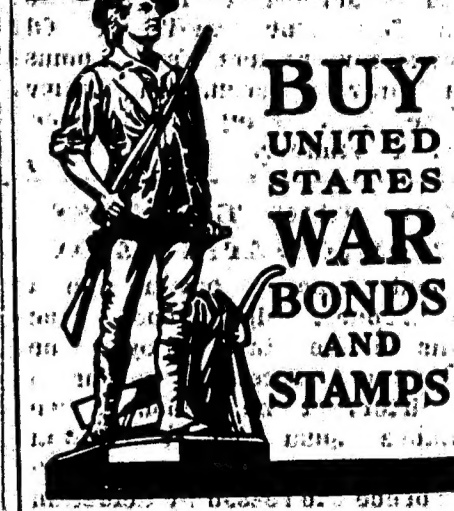
The Alumni Banquet was held at Birch Villa Inn Thursday night and the Alumni Ball at the Grange Hall.

School closed this week for their summer vacation and the teachers have gone to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum and daughter, Ramona and Mary Stuart Farnum, spent Sunday in Gorham, N. H., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry.

Miss Ramona Farnum and Miss Lois Davis will visit there this week. Miss Phyllis Keniston is visiting in Strong.

FOR VICTORY



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Our boys can take the War to the enemy if we back them up with ships and tanks and guns! But that takes money!

Help your Government to put the tools of war into the hands of our soldiers by purchasing War Savings Bonds and Stamps. And remember... just one Bond can't lick the Axis any more than just one gun! It takes millions of Americans buying War Savings Bonds and Stamps every day!

Bonds cost \$18.75 and up, and they pay you back one-third more in only 10 years! Stamps cost 10¢, 25¢, and up... soon total the price of a Bond if bought regularly.

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PINK SALMON 2 tall cans 43c	APRICOTS No. 2 1/2 can 27c
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DRIED BEEF 2 2 oz. cans 21c	FLOUR 24 1/2 lb. bag \$1.09
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Breakfast OATS 2 pkgs. 23c	SHORTENING 3 lb. can 68c
RED & WHITE Quik or Regular	RED & WHITE Table
Breakfast OATS 48 oz. pkg. 24c	SALT 2 2 lb. pkgs. 15c
OAKITE pkg. 10c	RED & WHITE Sifted
P. & G. SOAP 4 bars 19c	PEAS 2 No. 2 cans 38c
IVORY SOAP 1 lb. bar 10c	RED & WHITE Cranberry Cut
med. bar 6c	BEANS 2 No. 2 cans 38c
RED & WHITE Fancy Rich	RED & WHITE Whole Kernel
PEANUT BUTTER 1 lb. jar 29c	CORN 2 No. 2 cans 29c
12 oz. jar 25c	RED & WHITE
RED & WHITE Fancy	MACARONI 2 8 oz. pkgs. 15c
BLUEBERRIES can 19c	RED & WHITE Elbow
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PICTURING PETS



For better animal pictures, photograph your pets at their own eye-level.

PICTURING pets is something that I think every photographer enjoys. And now that the season's crop of puppies, kittens, and other young animals—and fowl—has arrived, it won't be long before you start shooting them—with a camera, of course.

Here's what I suggest. First, work alone with the animal; or, if not alone, with just one assistant at the most. When you attempt picture-making with too many people around it may prove distracting to your subject.

Next, you'll soon learn that it will make things easier for you if you place the animal in such a position that he can't move about too much. For instance, if puppies and kittens are placed on top of a box or stool which is high enough so they are reluctant to jump down, you'll find it's not so hard to catch them in a cute or interesting pose.

Point three, in the technique of animal photography, is to do your

picture making at the subject's eye-level—as in our illustration. Animals viewed from above, even from our own eye-level, do not often make pleasing pictures. Usually they appear too foreshortened. They normally look much more natural, when photographed from a low point of view.

Fourth, keep your backgrounds simple. Our illustration probably would have been improved somewhat if the area behind the subject wasn't cluttered up with branches. Outdoors there's no better backdrop than the sky. Use it often.

Finally, I'd suggest that you use a fairly high shutter speed—1/100 second or higher is advisable—to stop any unexpected movement on the part of your subject. If your camera hasn't that fast a shutter, you'll still be able to make first rate animal pictures if you do your snapshotting during your pet's quieter moments.

John van Gullder

THIS BUSINESS

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Living
BY
SUSAN THAYER



PATRIOTIC HOUSEKEEPING

Remember when the only job of American industry was to please you and me, because the women of the United States held the purse strings and spent most of the money? Remember when there were new styles in bath rooms, new conveniences for the kitchen, as well as new fashions every season, and we took silk stockings and pure wool and plenty of gasoline as a matter of course?

It wasn't so long ago that the magazines of the country were full of advertisements urging us to buy instead of to save and to do without! But already those times seem like ancient history—almost as long ago as the spring when the banks were closing and the papers were still full of stories about gangsters.

The complexion of our everyday life is changing rapidly. As consumers we're no longer free to choose as much as we please and have all we want of anything. Today we're no longer living for ourselves alone or at most for our families, but for our country.

Looking at it one way, you might think that we're having a pretty hard time. With only three gallons

of gasoline a week we can't go many places, and with half a pound of sugar we must think twice when we plan a meal, and with so much of our industry working for Uncle Sam instead of for us we're bound to have to get along with a lot less than we're used to.

But in spite of privations and hard work and worry about the boys in service, aren't you really pretty contented, deep down inside? Don't a lot of things make sense that didn't three years ago? Even meal getting is a patriotic job these strenuous days. You're really doing something important for your country when you go easy on the sugar and save grease and see that family has all of the vitamins it needs! When you make over old clothes instead of buying new ones and put the money in war stamps instead, you're helping stabilize our economic system, and when you clean out your attic and save your newspapers you're helping in the great work of conservation.

It's satisfying to be needed, as we all are these days, and it doesn't seem to hurt to do without when everybody else is doing it, too. But I sometimes wonder if there isn't still another reason we're taking to our privations so gracefully and finding a simpler life satisfying. Isn't it because we know that when we've won this war and industry can devote itself to peacetime production once more we're going to have more of the good things of life than we ever had before?



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NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed Admrx. of the estate of Ernest M. Walker late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ETHEL W. METCALF
Farmington, Maine.
May 19th 1942.

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed Admrx. of the estate of Arthur G. Stearns, late of Hanover in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

UNA R. STEARNS
Hanover, Maine.
May 19th 1942.

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Admrx. of the estate of Georgia A. Crockett, otherwise known as George A. Crockett late of Woodstock in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ELLERY C. PARK
Bethel, Maine
May 19th 1942.

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed guardian of Mary H. Walker of Lovell in the County of Oxford, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said ward are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ELEANOR L. WALKER
Lovell, Maine.
April 21, 1942.

STATE OF MAINE
To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:
At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said May. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:
That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1942, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and be heard thereon if they see cause.
Horace Elmer Flske, late of Greenwood, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Lillian Maud Flske, executrix.
George W. Day, late of Woodstock, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Ernest C. Day as executor of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Ernest C. Day, the executor therein named.
Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.
EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register. 24

State of Maine
Oxford, ss April 22, 1942.
Taken this 22nd day of April, 1942, on execution dated March 22, 1942 issued on a judgment rendered by the Superior Court for the County of Oxford, at the term thereof begun and held on the first Tuesday of March, 1942, to wit, the 23rd day of March, 1942, in favor of

Charles S. Lougee of Brownfield in said County and State against Ralph E. Pitman of Fryeburg in said County and State, for Two Hundred Eighty-Seven Dollars and Fifty Cents, debt or damage, and Seventeen Dollars and Eighty-eight cents, costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction at the office of Hastings & Son, in Fryeburg, Maine, to the highest bidder, on the 8th day of June, 1942, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate and all the right, title and interest, either in law or in equity, which the said Ralph E. Pitman has and had in and to the same on the 21st day of October, 1940, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the time when the same was attached on the writ in the same suit, to wit:

Homestead of the said Ralph E. Pitman situated on Smith Street in said Fryeburg, in Fryeburg Village in said town, being the same conveyed to said Ralph E. Pitman by George H. Coleman by deed dated October 18, 1933, recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 128, Page 418, supposed to be bounded at present, on the North by land of Zenna Peterson, and Bradley and Ela; East by Smith Street; South by land of E. W. Bosworth and West by land of the said Bradley and Ela.
Clifton H. Hill
Deputy Sheriff.

State of Maine
Oxford, ss April 22, 1942.
Taken this 22nd day of April, on execution dated March 28, 1942, issued on a judgment rendered by the Superior Court for the County of Oxford, at the term thereof begun and held on the first Tuesday of March, 1942, to wit, on the 23rd day of March, 1942, in favor of Elizabeth L. Lowell, Executrix under the will of Rufus N. Lowell, late of Hiram, County of Oxford and State of Maine, against Clayton Eastman, otherwise known as Clayton E. Eastman, of Porter, in said County of Oxford, for fifty-six Dollars and sixty Cents, debt or damage, and seventeen Dollars and Twelve Cents, costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction at the office of Hastings & Son, in Fryeburg, Maine, to the highest bidder, on the 8th day of June, 1942, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate and all the right, title and interest, either in law or in equity, which the said Clayton Eastman has and had in and to the same on the 20th day of September, 1941, at 3:50 o'clock in the afternoon, the time when the same was attached on the writ in the same suit, to wit:

A certain lot or parcel of land, together with the buildings thereon, situated in said Porter, on the southerly side of the road leading from Porter Village to Charles Young Place, being the same conveyed to the said Clayton Eastman by Ezra E. and Ida E. Eastman by deed dated May 24, 1930, recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 128, Page 227, bounded and described as follows:
Commencing at the corner of the main road and bounded by the main road running westerly to a

certain stone; thence running southerly by land of Ed Rice and land of Howard Wentworth to a stone post; thence easterly to a certain pine tree by land of Fred Small; thence northwesterly by land of M. Tucker to the corner of land of Frank Holmes; thence running North to the main road by land of Frank Holmes, said lot containing 127 acres more or less.
Clifton H. Hill
Deputy Sheriff.

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GREENWOOD CENTER

Mrs. Beryl Martin and children attended the Tabbs School reunion.

Week-end callers at R. L. Martin's were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brazier and daughter, Mrs. Maurice Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Day and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sweeney and daughter of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin and sons, Rupert and Robert, of West Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mills and son, Balne, of Locke Mills.

Mrs. Gladys Bailey is still unable to work on account of her

finger, which she cut two weeks ago.

David Roberts of Portland called in the vicinity over the week-end. Mrs. R. L. Martin visited her daughter, Mrs. Mary Mills, one day last week.

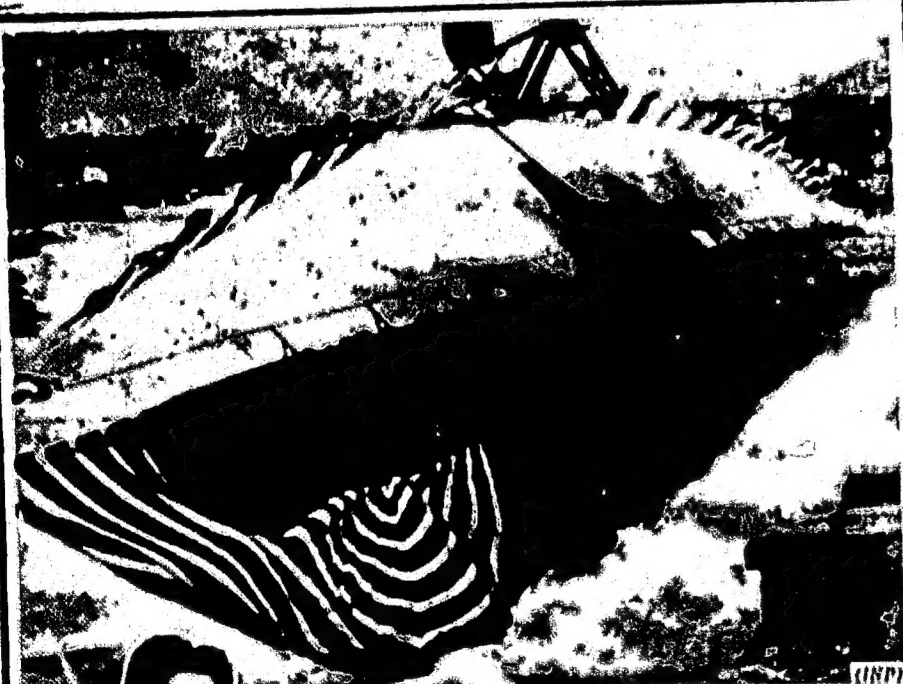
Fredrick Davis and son, Kenneth, of Auburn called at R. L. Martin's recently.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

Because I cannot personally thank everyone, I am expressing in this way my very sincere appreciation for the many gifts of flowers, cards, letters, and dainties which have been generously bestowed during my recent illness.

MRS. MAURICE F. TYLER

People, Spots In The News



FRESH WATER SUB—The U. S. S. S-40 hits the waters of one of the Great Lakes. It is America's first submarine to be built inland for service at sea.



SKIMP DRESS—Alexis Smith of the films shows she can save material and be well dressed for evening, too. The designer conserved nearly five yards of goods.



JAPTIME—Men need rest, but time off for machines only helps the Japs. As industry swings into round-the-clock operations, employees at Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing company post pictures of General MacArthur for 24-hour inspiration.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1942

LOCKE MILLS

Mary Mills, Correspondent

Memorial Day services began here with the parade at 10:30. In the parade were members of the American Legion, Auxiliary, Bethel Band, Home Guard, Boy Scouts, and school children. They paraded to the cemetery where the soldiers' graves were decorated, after which followed Memorial Day exercises at the church by the school children and an address by Mrs. Abbie Norton, pastor of the church here.

The Farm Bureau held their regular meeting with Mrs. Florence Swift last week.

George and Lewis Tirrell were at Richardson Lake recently.

Friends of Mrs. Mabel Farrington are glad to hear that she is much improved in health.

Miss Helen Williamson of Portland was a week-end guest at the home of Ansel Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Mellen Kimball and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Porter of Five Islands were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Kimball.

David Roberts, Milan Chapin, Delwin Long and Sidney Bartlett were home from their work at So. Portland for the week-end.

Guy Smith has gone to South Portland, where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. McKay and family of Berlin have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bacon and family.

Richard Pratt and his mother of Norway visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swan and family over the week-end.

Durwood Lang has moved his family from North Woodstock into the rent vacated by Lewis Cole and family.

Mrs. Florence Rand has returned home after visiting for several weeks with her son, Eben, in New York. Eben Rand accompanied his mother home for a brief visit.

Mrs. Conant of Portland has been a recent guest of her son, Ray, and wife.

Miss Florence Howe of Fitchburg, Mass., visited relatives in the place over the week-end.

Lewis Tirrell caught a 7 1/2 lb. tope at South Pond, Sunday.

Mrs. Myra Jordan is enjoying a visit from her mother in Connecticut.

Neal Bennett, infant son of Donald Bennett is at the St. Louis Hospital for observation.

Wilbur Coolidge of Hartford, Conn., formerly of this place, was calling in the place recently.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews entertained over the week-end and holiday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woods, and brother, Vincent Woods, and Hazel Lapham, all of Malden, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Curtis of Springfield, Mass., have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews.

Monday evening, June 1, a surprise birthday supper was tendered Frank Andrews on his 85th birthday at the home of his grand nephew, Lenwood Andrews. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews, and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cummings and daughter, Carolyn, of Port-



Official U. S. Treasury

MAINE

WAR BOND QUOTAS FOR JUNE

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 1.—Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury, today made known June War Bond quotas for the 3,070 counties in the nation to all State and County War Savings Staffs.

The June quota for the State of Maine is \$4,272,000.

The county quotas, based upon a substantial increase over May quotas, are expected to reach ten per cent of income when the nation goes on a billion-dollar-a-month War Bond basis in July to help meet the war cost. "Everybody, every pay day, ten per cent," is the battle cry throughout the country. You can buy War Bonds at your Bank, Building & Loan Association, Post Office and at many department stores.

Quotas by counties are:

Androscoggin, \$385,900; Aroostook, \$123,900..
Cumberland, \$1,338,400.
Franklin, \$113,000.
Hancock, \$150,600.
Kennebec, \$440,600; Knox, \$167,300.
Lincoln, \$43,300.
Oxford, \$109,600.
Penobscot, \$605,500; Piscataquis, \$59,600.
Sagadahoc, \$124,000; Somerset, \$85,500.
Waldo, \$55,600; Washington, \$89,900.
York, \$379,300.

U. S. Treasury Department

land were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis.

Little Ann LaFoy, who has spent the school year with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Littlehale and attended the Advent Church School, has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dudley, Stearns Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Felt and baby of Farmington and Carl Brooks of West Paris were Sunday visitors at A. N. Felt's. Mr. Brooks will leave Thursday for induction into the U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Titus of South Paris were at Rangely on Tuesday of this week.

Elsworth Brooks has finished work at I. W. Andrews' casket factory and Arthur Beck is now employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Perham of Portland were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Buck. Their daughter, Betty, is visiting in the Buck home for a while.

Miss Olive Hendrickson is working this week for Mrs. Arline Dudley on Stearns Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Alwood Radcliff and baby of Mechanic Falls spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Gayden Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hendrickson, Mrs. Harry Silver and Mrs. Charles Swinton were in Portland one day this week.

The Willing Workers were entertained by Mrs. Berniece Davis, Wednesday afternoon, May 27. Eleven members and six children were present. Refreshments of sandwiches and cocoa were served. The next meeting will be June 10, when they will meet at Union Church.

Arthur Hart of North Paris has moved his family into the house vacated some time ago by Orin Sprague.

Miss Alida Verrill, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Alton Verrill, is at her home here having finished the school year at Atlantic Union College, South Lancaster, Mass.

Union School closed Friday, May 29, with a field day on the grounds. Dinner was served at Union Church.

Mrs. Lena Cummings is spending this week with her daughter and husband in Massachusetts.

Mary Felt has been painting and papering for Mrs. Albert Russ.

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DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE

GROVER HILL

Mrs. Ina Olsen of Gilead is in for Mrs. Maurice Tyler at ent.

Week-end holiday guests L. Whitman's were Mr. and Arthur Whitman and Mr. and Edward Chick and family Portsmouth, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. James Goodrich Portsmouth were at their summer home here over the day.

Clarence Meserve and family Mechanic Falls were guests F. Tyler's, Sunday.

Miss Methel Packard and Mrs. Clarence Hall from el Village were Sunday after callers at N. A. Stearns'.

A. J. Peaslee planted a gar North Bethel for Mrs. Ke Wight recently.

SONGO POND

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UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Corresp

A canteen supper was ser the public Saturday evening Ladies' Aid Building.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wri North Jay spent Friday an urday at the home of Willia net.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Abbot week-end guests of Mrs. C. kins.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Lee Abbot arrived in town from Bang the summer.

Leslie and Alan Fuller w Hanover Monday on bicycl from there in a car to Gould emy, where they plan to next year.

Eva Fuller or Bath has in town for the summer.

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GROVER HILL

Mrs. Ina Olsen of Gilead is caring for Mrs. Maurice Tyler at present.

Week-end holiday guests at C. L. Whitman's were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitman and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chick and family from Portsmouth, N. H.

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Miss Methel Packard and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hall from Bethel Village were Sunday afternoon callers at N. A. Stearns'.

A. J. Peaslee planted a garden at North Bethel for Mrs. Kenneth Wight recently.

SONGO POND

A. B. Kimball was able to go to Berlin, N. H., on his weekly trip Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle were in Norway, Saturday, to decorate her mother's and daughter's graves.

Mrs. Maud Grindle and daughter, Evelyn, were at Irving Green's over the week-end and holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kimball were at Arthur Kimball's over the holiday and Sunday to plant a garden for themselves.

Mrs. Florence Graves of Fryeburg spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Maud Kimball.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jewel at Plymouth, N. H., that they have a son born recently. Mrs. Jewel was the former Helen Kimball.

UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Correspondent
A cauteen supper was served to the public Saturday evening at the Ladies' Aid Building.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wright of North Jay spent Friday and Saturday at the home of William Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Abbott were week-end guests of Mrs. C. A. Judkins.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Lee Abbott have arrived in town from Bangor for the summer.

Leslie and Alan Fuller went to Hanover Monday on bicycles and from there in a car to Gould Academy, where they plan to attend next year.

Eva Fuller or Bath has arrived in town for the summer.

GILEAD

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson and daughters, Dorothy and Phyllis, of Springfield, Mass., spent the holidays with Mr. Watson's niece, Mrs. Florence Holden.

Mrs. Thelma Leighton has completed her duties at Leighton's Tea Room and filling station.

Lawrence Gilbert spent the week-end with relatives in Augusta.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cole and son, Merle, were visitors in Bethel Wednesday.

Mrs. M. J. Cook of Portland was a week-end guest of her cousin, Mrs. Florence Holden.

Leo, Glynn and Ferroll Witter, who are employed at the Todd-Bath shipyard in South Portland, spent the holidays at their home here.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fraser and daughter of Portsmouth, N. H., are guests at the home of her father, I. B. Leighton.

Miss Alma Heath is very ill at her home here.

Mrs. G. E. Leighton has returned home from Gray.

Miss Shirley Bennett of Shelburne, N. H., is spending a few days at the home of her father, Bert Bennett.

Mrs. Helen Daniels was a visitor in Berlin, N. H., Tuesday.

Mrs. Frances O'Brien and Mrs. Charlotte Adams of Plymouth, N. H., were guests of friends in town.

Mrs. Esther Deoster has returned home from Portland.

Mrs. Helen Goud of Portland is a guest of friends in town.

NORTH NEWRY

The last Home Nursing Class was held Friday evening, May 29, at the home of Mrs. Bertha Davis.

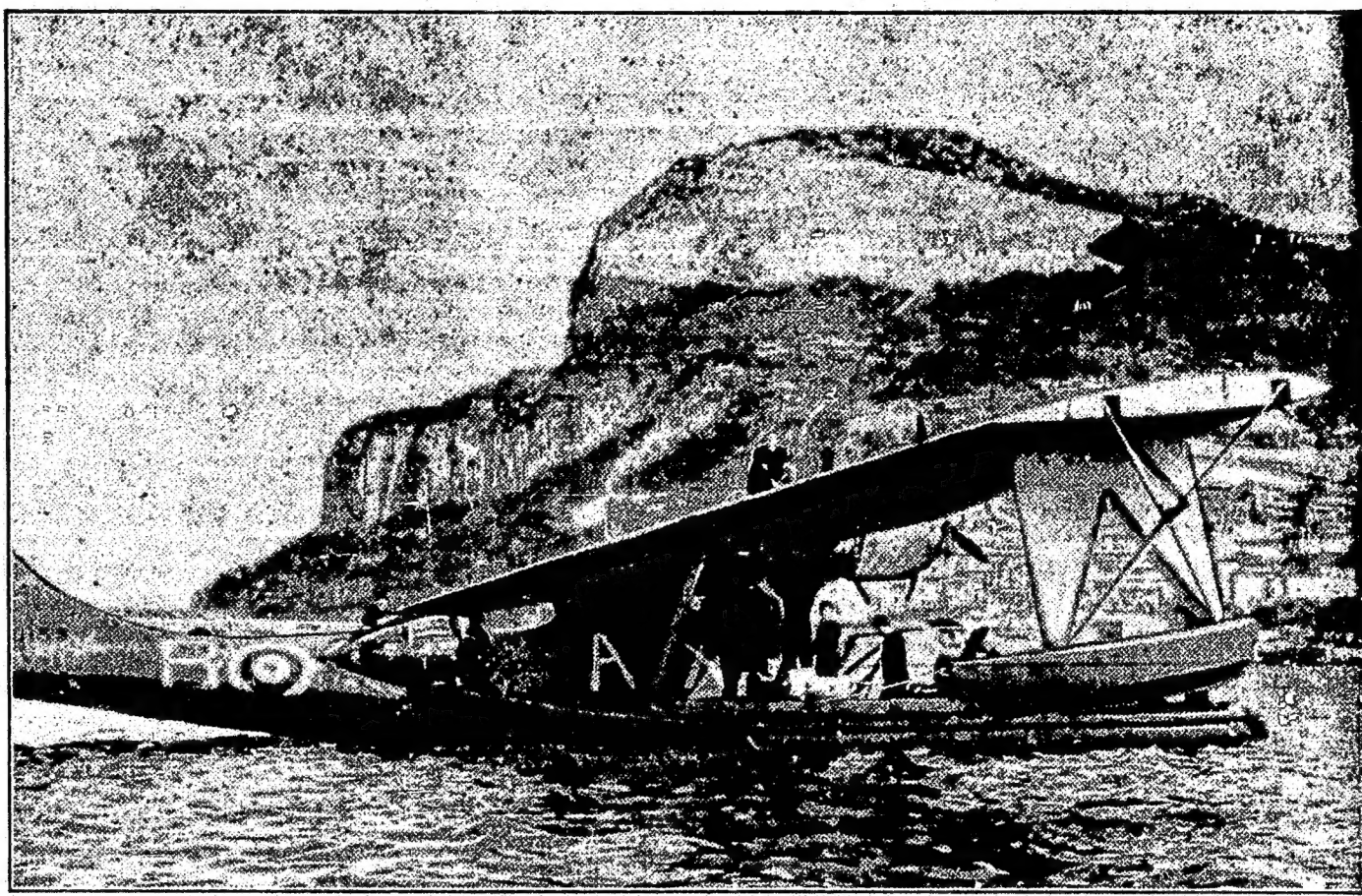
The following ladies completed the course: Ida Wight, Elsie Enman, Delma Ross, Leda Knapp, Ida Richard, Albertine Waite, Berniece Walker, Bertha Davis, Daisie Warren, Louise Learned and Grace Hulbert.

The group presented Mrs. Alma Thurston, who has taught the Home Nursing course, with defense stamps. Refreshments of gingerbread with whipped cream and coffee were served.

Sgt. Willard Wight returned Wednesday, June 3, to Camp Croft S. C., after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight.

Mrs. L. E. Wight entered the Rumford Community Hospital, Monday.

GUARDING TWO SEAS



DWARFED BY GIBRALTAR'S ROCKY BULK towering in the background, a U. S.-built Consolidated Catalina bomber receives its load of depth bombs and supplies. Soon its R.A.F. crew will take it off on a long patrol voyage over the Atlantic to spot and sink enemy submarines and surface raiders trying to attack Allied shipping. Thus, with the help of American bombers, Gibraltar guards two oceans, a wide sweep of the Atlantic as well as the mouth of the Mediterranean.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent
STEVENS—HEWITT
BOWIE—HEWITT

There was a pretty double wedding Saturday evening at the home of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, when the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hewitt of Lexington, Maine, were united in marriage. Miss Adeline Hewitt became the bride of Arthur Stevens of North Paris and Miss Nellie May Hewitt became the bride of Danford P. Bowie of Auburn.

The double ring service was used. Caroline Stevens of North Paris and Merle Hewitt of Auburn were the ring bearers.

Mrs. Stevens wore a gown of white silk and carried carnations. She graduated from Anson Academy and Farmington State Normal School and has taught the primary school at North Paris for the past three years.

Mrs. Bowie's gown was pink silk and she carried carnations and snapdragons. She was educated in the schools of Lexington and New Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens will reside at North Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Bowie at Auburn.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hewitt, Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marchmont, Merle Hewitt, Lewiston; Mrs. Verna Stevens, Caroline Stevens, North Paris.

The grammar room presented an original play, "We'll Work to Win," written by some of the pupils and Miss Gray. Each pupil represented a group or organization and the musical part was supplied by popular songs closely related to the work done by each group or organization.

Those taking part were Richard Baker, Uncle Sam; Alfred Perham, Spirit of America; Alice Thorne, Salute to the Flag; Sherman Cole, Army; Ernest Packard, Navy; William Flavin, Air Force; Vaino Oja, Mariner; Audrey Chase, Red Cross; Marilyn Bonney, Salvation Army; Richard Doughty, Factory Worker; Lloyd Waterhouse, Coast Guard; Robert Bean, Home Guard; Ned Herrick, Jr., F. B. I.; Cathryn Cummings, American Legion; Helen Ross, Civilian Defense; Laurel Young, Woman Factory; Rachel Dunham, Thrift Housewife; Roscoe Perham, Boy Scout; Dorothy Perham, Girl Scout; Velma Proctor, Pupil; Beryl and Sheryl Ring, Poems. Pupils in the grammar room on the honor list for the last quarter were Helen Ross and Rachel Dunham. Velma Proctor, prefect attendance for the year.

"Aunt Drusilla's Garden," operetta by grades five and six, using the sub-primary children as flowers. Principal characters: "Aunt Drusilla Rogers, a prim spinster; Barbara Slattery; Aunt Prudence Rogers, her sister, Rosalie Buck; Nelda Alvenia Podgers, their niece, Dorothy Andrews; Pat, the gardener, Sidney Perham; Bob, leader of the gang, Milton Inman; Ted, member of the gang, Randall Buck; Tiny Little, member of the Circle, Irene Heikkinen; the Gang, Vance Bacon, Richard Abbott, Laurence Emery, Everett Chase, Albert Penley Jr., Emery Taylor Jr., Ashley Pike, Gordon Doughty; the Circle, Beverly Smith, Mary Holmes, Sylvia Andrews, Marilyn Andrews, Marion Small, Joyce Wagar, Jenny McKeen, Patricia Collette, Priscilla Cole, Irene Estes, Pauline Buck, Beryl Bonney; Flowers, Margaret Perham, Maxine Verrill, Eleanor Proctor, Nancy Benson, Warren Emery, Verge Forbes, Gilbert Heikkinen, Glen Kay, Lloyd Abbott, Theresa Heath, Constance Heath.

The following 20 pupils out of 27 of Miss Lettie Day's fifth and sixth grades were 7 point pupils: Gordon Doughty, Ashley Pike, Laurence Emery, Sidney Perham, Randall Buck, Everett Chase, Emery Taylor, Joyce Wagar, Vance Bacon.

Albert Penley Jr., Marion Small, Richard Abbott, Priscilla Collette, Mary Holmes, Barbara Slattery, Irene Heikkinen, Irene Estes, Beverly Smith, Beryl Bonney has not been absent or tardy a day during the school year. Jenny McKeen has had 100 per cent in Spelling the entire year. Jenny McKeen received the first prize for flowers and Joyce Wagar and Beverly Smith second.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION
The West Paris High School graduation exercises were held in the Gymnasium Wednesday evening, May 27, with program as follows:

Processional, School Orchestra Invocation, Mrs. H. A. Libby Song, "In Sunshine or Rain," Underclassmen; Response by Seniors Salutory address, Olga Kyllonen Pageant, "The Graduates' Seven Guides"

Class Will, Lahja Pike Class Prophecy, Roy Perham Jr. Presentation of Class Gifts, Anna Schroderus and Derwood Buck Presentation of Diplomas, Mr. Bailey

Valedictory Address, Elvi Lilmatta Presentation of Awards, Mr. Bailey

Class Ode, Written by Raymond Farr Jr. Benediction, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes

Miss Ida Korhonen received the commercial prize pen from Becker College. The Co-Valedictorians, Elvi Lilmatta and Olga Kyllonen, the Dr. Corliss prize of two books for scholarship, and Caroline Emmons the Dr. Hammond prize for best poem.

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YOUR CAR How to Get the MOST out of it

FEEL ITS PULSE OCCASIONALLY

A modern automobile, like a human being, can take a lot of punishment and still keep going. Just because your car is able to move away from the curb under its own power, don't assume it is operating efficiently. If you notice some obvious symptoms, naturally you investigate. But even if you don't find any symptoms, it pays to run a finger over your car's pulse occasionally.

Simplest check is gas consumption. Fill your tank. Note your speedometer mileage. Keep a record of the gas added. After 1000 miles fill the tank again and divide the mileage driven by the number of gallons added plus the gas required to fill it the second time. Most car ailments affect gas mileage, just as most bodily ailments affect pulse beat. So if your mileage per gallon is low, further investigation is warranted. Bad spark plugs, for example, sometimes waste as much as one gallon in ten.

Occasional periodic check-ups are recommended for the following:

Cooling system. Radiator, flush out twice a year. Fan belt, check for shredding at 10,000 miles.

Ignition system. Distributor points and timing, every 10,000 miles. Spark plugs, every 5,000 miles. Spark control, for correct adjustment to type of gas used.

Fuel system. Automatic choke, twice a year if seasonal adjustments are required. Fuel pump, once or twice a year. Fuel lines, occasionally for leaks. Don't forget the air cleaner needs cleaning too, and don't tinker with the carburetor.

Drive system. Adjust clutch occasionally so that pedal has one inch of "play."

Note: This is the ninth in a series of articles based on the book, Automobile User's Guide, published by the Customer Research staff of General Motors. Next article: Batteries and Brakes.



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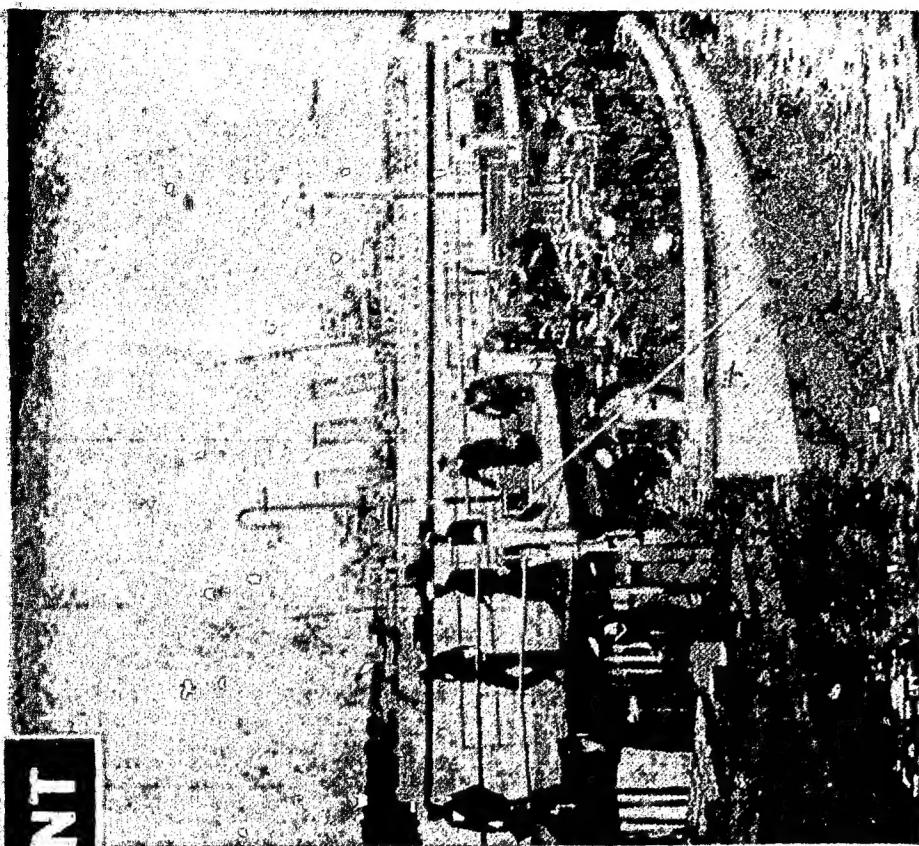
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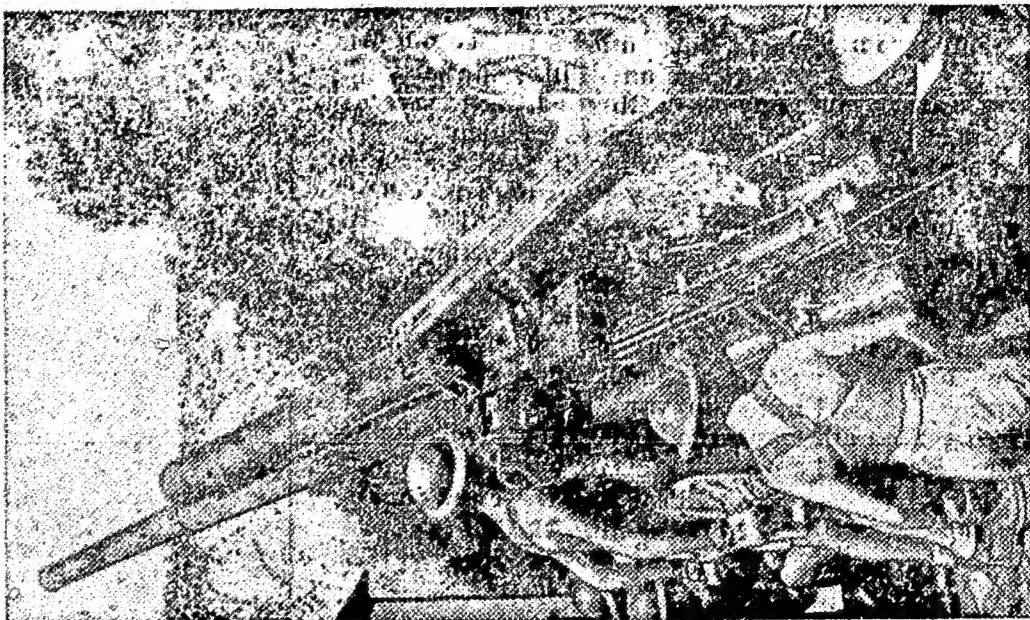
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AUSTRALIA IS UNITED NATIONS' MAIN PACIFIC BASE



NAVAL STATIONS include Darwin, in the North, Fremantle, in the West, and Sydney. Navy has several cruisers, many smaller ships.

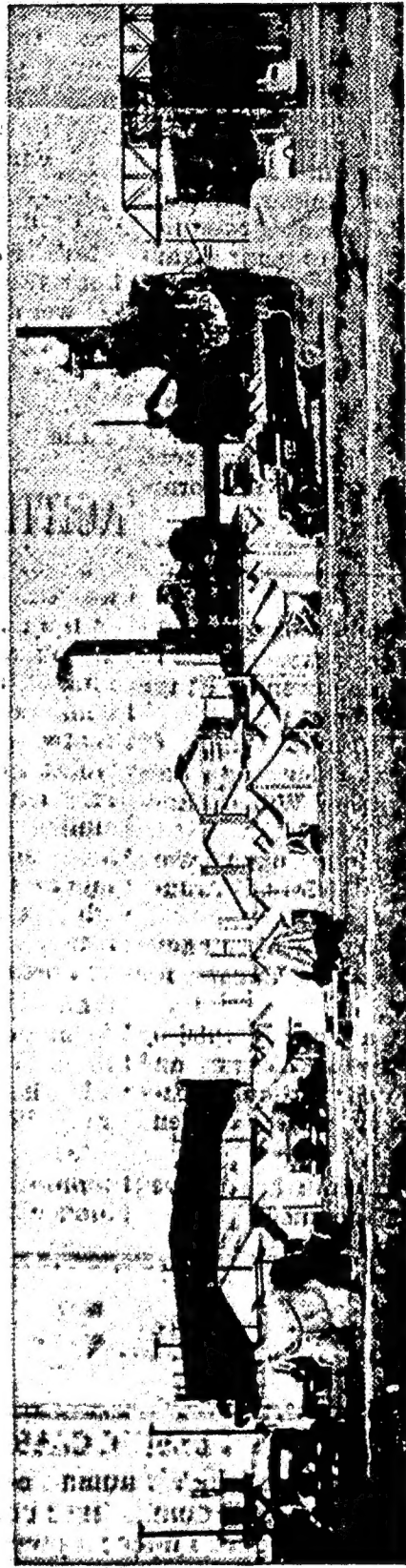
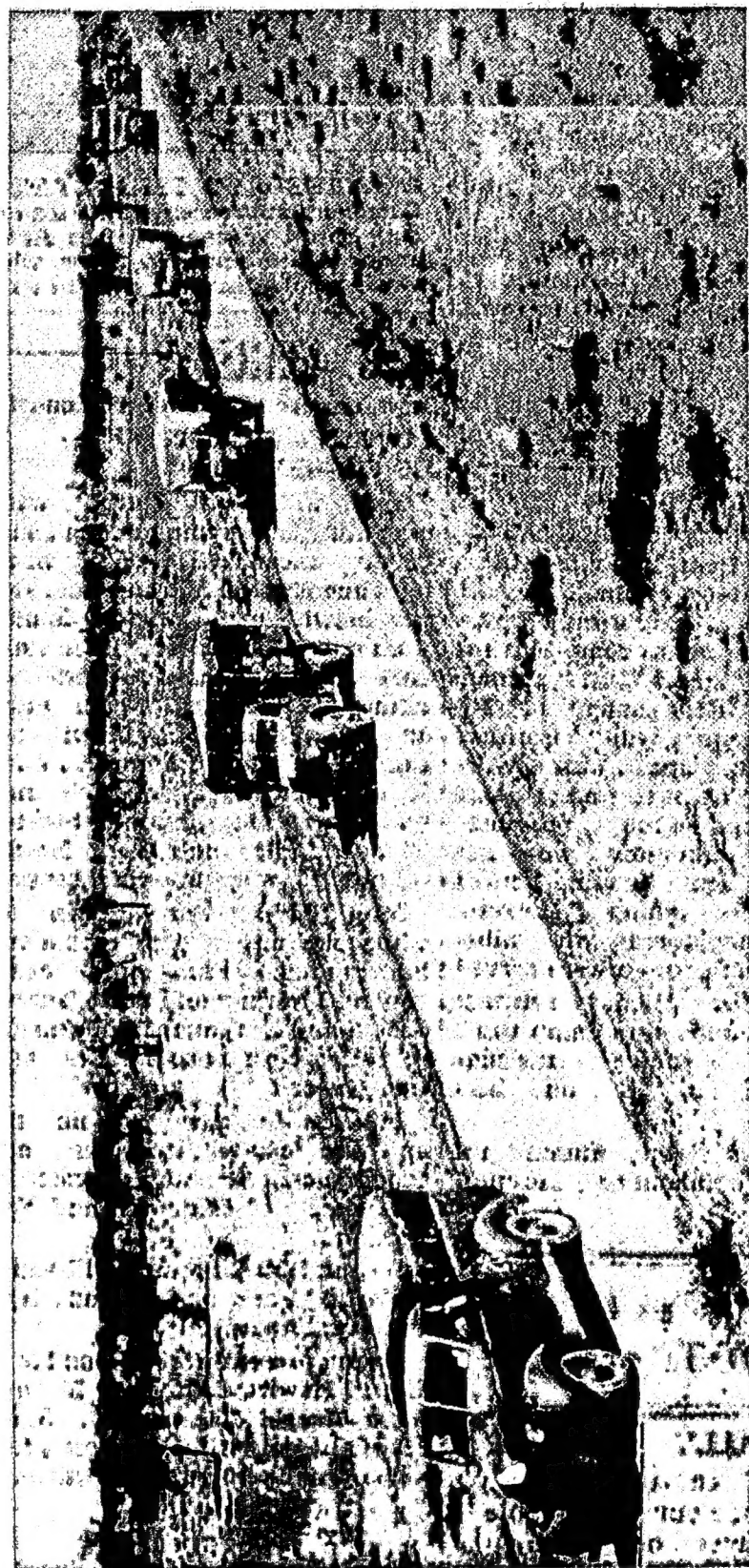


THE COAST near Darwin has been fortified and provided with airfields, gun emplacements and other facilities for a major operation. Needed are more equipment and men.

CONTINENT MAY BE NEXT U. S. LAND FRONT

AUSTRALIA'S chief importance to the United States and the United Nations today is that it offers them their best—and almost last—Southwest Pacific base from which an offensive against Japan can be launched. Moreover Australia, though not so well developed as the U. S., has large, productive deposits of copper, iron, lead and other minerals which would be useful to the Japanese war machine. Unlike the rubber and oil of the Dutch East Indies, Australia's minerals cannot be burned to prevent their capture; so if Japan gets Australia, she gets Australia's resources.

The United Nations, therefore, can hardly let Australia fall to the Japanese. The Anzac's courage and fighting ability has been demonstrated on a dozen battlefields in two wars; and they will defend Australia to the last foot. But reinforcements, arms and equipment—mostly from the U. S.—are needed to join with Australia's 550,000 trained soldiers and militia, her small, tough navy, her half-equipped, but courageous air force. Australia, in short, is likely to become the United States' first full-fledged land front in World War II—a front which, if held, can be used as a continental spring-board to victory in the South Pacific.

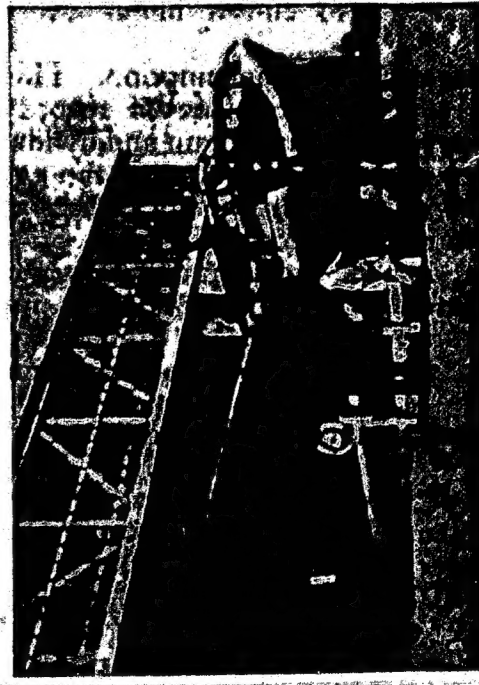


AUSTRALIA'S main defense problems are its vast distances and empty interior, devoid of railways and roads. But any force the U. S. might send would find

TO AID in her own defense, Australia has an army of 400,000 men at home, 150,000 overseas (total: 8 per cent of population).



NORTHERN Australia, nearest Japan, is tropical, isolated and difficult to defend, but an important base for counter-attack.



AUSTRALIA produces some bombers (above) and has some U. S. planes, but not enough for her 60,000 pilots and crewmen.

ROWE HILL

Albert Ring is staying at Glenn Martin's and cutting wood. Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey were at Osmen Palmers, Sunday. Several from here attended the Memorial exercises at Bryant Pond, Saturday. D. L. Heath of Gorham, N. H., was at Camp Sebawish, Sunday. Del Howe was at his place here over the holiday.

NEWRY CORNER

Margaret, Robert and Priscilla Carey of Bryant Pond are with their aunt, Mrs. Selma Chapman, for a while. The next Farm Bureau meeting will be June 17, a Picnic and Outdoor Cookery. Mrs. Bertha Davis will be hostess. Vaccinations were given in the North Newry schools last Thursday by Dr. Alm of Farmington and

SOUTH BETHEL

Jim Splancy, who works in the ship yard at Portland was at home over the week end. Herbert Hatfield has employment at South Waterford on a farm and will move his family there later.

Mrs. Ruth Hopkins, Mrs. Fleet and her pupils from Sunday River district were also present. Horace Tibbetta was in Rumford on business Saturday. Joseph Leonard, who has been visiting at Mr. Ryder's on Paris Hill the past week, has returned to his home. Lawrence Sessions has been out this week at the home of his mother, Hattie Sessions. Clifton Brown has moved his camp to Upton and has employment at Davis' mill. Mary Felt called on her brother

Frank Brooks, Tuesday. Philip Chadbourne is building a new dry shed. Muriel Vashaw has finished work at South Carco and has returned to her home here. Charles Conner of Albany has moved into Jim Tibbetta's rent. Mr. and Mrs. Herriek of Mechanic Falls have moved into Archie Cole's home. Shirley C. Jones has moved back on the farm on Chase Hill.

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HANOVER

ELLINGWOOD-CUMMINGS

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cummings, Hanover, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, Tuesday afternoon, when their daughter, Barbara Roxy, became the bride of Freeman Ellingwood formerly of Oquossoc and now with the U. S. Army at Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

The double ring service was performed in the presence of the immediate families by Rev. Warren Palmer, pastor of the Congregational Church at Norway. An arch of evergreen and wild flowers made a beautiful setting for the occasion.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was gowned in silk organdy, with a veil held in place by a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a bridal bouquet of rose buds and lilies of the valley. The wedding march was played by Mrs. G. C. Barker.

Miss Gwendolyn Thurlow, who was maid of honor, wore a yellow organdy and carried a bouquet of snapdragons. Mrs. Ellingwood, mother of the groom and Mrs. Cummings, mother of the bride, carried bouquets of carnations. Walter Ellingwood, brother of the groom, was best man.

An informal reception and delicious refreshments followed the ceremony.

Mrs. Frank Worcester was in charge of the guest book and the members of the Ever Ready 4-H Club served refreshments. Mrs. Ellingwood is the leader of this club.

The bride and groom left on a short wedding trip to Oquossoc, as the groom returns to camp on Sunday, having only a short furlough from Army duties.

The bride attended Yarmouth Academy and later graduated from Gould Academy, Bethel, and has a responsible position with the Rumford Power Co. The groom received his education in Oquossoc, and has an excellent rating at Camp Shelby.

Out of town guests of the wedding were Mrs. Grace Ellingwood, Charles and Walter Ellingwood, all of Oquossoc; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Ellingwood, Farmington; Mrs. Mildred Garroway, Bethel; Mrs. Clara Reyford, South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cummings, Bryant Pond; Mrs. Lena Wight, Bethel; Edith Ellingwood, Anne and Harold of Rumford; also Mrs. B. J. Russell, Hanover.

Friends in town who attended the informal reception were Mrs. Alice Staples, Mrs. Marion Richardson, Mrs. C. U. Worcester, Mrs. L. T. Dickson, Mrs. Elmer Wight, Mrs. Una Stearns, and Jennie Bell and Timothy. Mrs. O. P. Russell, Miss Ada Bean, Mrs. W. W. Worcester, Mrs. Pauline Lovejoy, Mr. C. F. Saunders and girls of the 4-H Club, Doris Knight, Nellie and Lorraine Babineau, Carolyn Bean, Janete Babineau, Esther Wright, Beatrice Merrill, also sisters of the bride, Ann and Carol Pitt.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful gifts consisting of linen, glass, silver and money. The best wishes of the community go with the newly wedded couple.

Mrs. Pauline Lovejoy has gone to Lisbon Falls to visit her sister Mrs. George Roberts.

Herbert Russell, Jr., has been the guest of relatives in town.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Worcester was a reunion for most of their sons and daughters, Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carpenter and three children of Vermont; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mills and son Milton, of Norway; Mr. and Mrs. C. U. Worcester and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Worcester and son David all of this village.

Mrs. Alice Staples and Mrs. Frances Davis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Staples in Rumford, Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Worcester and Mrs. Clement Worcester entertained the Mizpah Club of Past Chiefs at the former's home, Wednesday afternoon. Work was continued on sewing

SUNDAY RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Powers from South Portland called at John Nowlin's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williamson from South Deering visited Mrs. Daisy Crosby recently.

Charlotte Kendall was a visitor at J. Spinney's, Saturday.

Roger and Ramsey Reynolds spent the week end at James Reynolds'.

Arthur Tyler and wife from South Paris, Mrs. Maxim Fields, from Paris Hill, Mrs. Fred Tyler from Bryant Pond were at Roland Fleg's, Sunday.

Mrs. Robert M. Bean attended the graduation of her daughter, Ina, as nurse at Lewiston, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Cole from Locke Mills, called on acquaintances here, Sunday.

ing for State Children and two boxes of stuffed toys and clothing for both boys and girls was completed. This was estimated at a value of \$50 and was sent to Augusta the following day. Our last box was sent last fall and valued at \$100. No more sewing will be done by the club until September, when we hope to resume work again, with our very capable chairman, Mrs. Eva Hayford. Delicious refreshments were served after a short business meeting. Those attending were Mrs. Alice Elliott, Amy Marston, Eva Hayford, Addie Saunders, Marie Abbott, Mandy Lapham and the hostesses for Past Chiefs. Guests were Miss Ada Bean, Mrs. Ella Russell, Frances Davis, Dorothy Elliott, Pauline Lovejoy.

Mrs. Herbert Russ of Worcester, Mass., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Lapham over the holiday.

Clarence Longfellow of Hallowell was a week end guest of Mrs. Effie Dyer.

Freelen, Knights of South Portland was a recent guest of his cousin, Arthur G. Howe. Mr. Knight is 87 years old and drove his car home from Florida as usual this spring.

Several U. S. Army monoplane passed over this village, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Ellingwood returned Sunday after a short wedding trip. Mr. Ellingwood left for Camp Shelby, Miss., as his furlough was ended.

There are about two dozen concerns in Bethel whose names do not appear in our advertising columns. These people supply goods or services to the people of our communities and have interests in common with us all. For a very small investment each week they could tell you of their offerings in a space like this and thus render an important service, both to their patrons and themselves.

Tell your friends that you read the advertisements in the Citizen.

EAST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis and family moved into their new home Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Toft was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe. Under Miss Toft's direction a bean hole was dug and beanhole beans served to a family gathering Sunday noon. Mrs. Robert Hastings and Mrs. William Hastings helped furnish the dinner. Those present were B. W. Kimball, L. D. Kimball, G. K. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings and four children, Mr. and Mrs. William Hastings and two children, Mr. and Mrs. James Haines and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe, Miss Toft and Mr. and Mrs. John Howe. All voted the first attempt at cooking beans in the bean hole was a great success.

Mrs. Flora Kierstead was brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell Friday morning after a sudden collapse at the home of Maurice Tyler on Grover Hill, where Mrs. Kierstead had been caring for Mrs. Tyler for about two months. Mrs. Kierstead is now able to be up part of the time.

Miss Deborah Farwell and Miss Isabel Kimball spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mellen Kimball and daughter Phyllis, of Five Islands, Donald Kimball of South Portland and Robert Cullen of South Paris were week-end visitors of Mrs. Doris Kimball.

Miss Gertrude Curtis was at her home here for the week-end, assisting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Curtis, in moving.

The eighth grade pupils visited at Gould Academy Monday afternoon. Mrs. Willis Bartlett and W. S. Hastings conveyed them to Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Burns of Portsmouth, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. Lee Falkenham of Andover were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swan, Mr. Mrs. Owen Klidder of Dixfield were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ida Blake. Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bartlett were Harry Blake of Malden, Mass., John Clarke of Everett, Mass., and Charles Bowen of Ogunquit.

A Well Child Clinic was held Tuesday at 1 p. m., June 2, at the Grange Hall. Dr. Wilton, Mrs. Ruth Hopkins public health nurse, Miss Kathryn Briwa, Extension Foods Specialist, and Miss Ethel Walsh, H. D. A. were present. Fifteen children under school age were weighed measured and examined by the doctor and nurse. Miss Briwa and Miss Walsh advised mothers about diet. The children's pattern box was there for mothers to take of patterns.

Christine Nelson of Boston, Mass. was the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nelson over the week end.

Mrs. George W. Owen of Hyde Park and her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Coburn, of Woburn, Mass. were at Camp Margaret from Friday until Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bachelder and two children of Springdale were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bickford.

The fishermen who have been coming to Lake Keewaydin for salmon fishing have been having very good luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bryant have moved into Vera Murphy's rent.

Miss Minnie Littlefield is staying with Mrs. O. C. Farrington nights and Violet Doughty works for her days.

Mrs. Florence Whitman was home from her school at Brunswick and entertained guests from Connecticut over the week end.

Many from here attended the baccalaureate services at Norway Sunday. Frances Piles, Milton Barker and Dwight Grover all of East Stoneham will graduate from Norway High School this year.

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FOR SALE—100 bushels small potatoes. OLE OLSON, North Newry, 23p

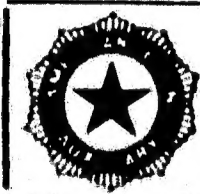
FOR SALE OR RENT—Six room house—bath, stable, garage, and good garden spot. P. O. BOX 209, BETHEL, 22p-tf

Five Room Cottage on Songo Lake for Sale or Rent. Running spring water. Near black road. HERBERT WINSLOW, Bethel, 23tf

MISCELLANEOUS

PIANO TUNING H. L. White will be in Bethel early in June. Orders with F. J. Tyler or Box 6, Auburn, 22p

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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY NEWS

GEORGE A. MUNDT UNIT

The following officers were elected at the meeting of the Legion Auxiliary last Thursday evening: president, Mrs. Chester Chapman; first vice president, Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven; second vice president, Mrs. Clayton Mills; treasurer, Mrs. Milo McAllister; secretary, Mrs. Henry Bennett; historian, Mrs. Raymond Dexter; chaplain, Mrs. Irvin French; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. A. D. Forbes; delegates to convention at Old Orchard, Mrs. Chester Chapman, Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven, Mrs. Myron Scarborough; alternates, Mrs. Milo McAllister, Mrs. Henry Bennett and Mrs. John Compass. A musical program was presented by Mrs. Scarborough.

A joint installation will be held with the Legion on June 9.

Legion officers have been elected as follows: Commander, Myron Scarborough; first vice commander, Philip Day; second vice commander, Daniel Forbes; Adjutant, Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven; finance officer, Henry Bennett; chaplain, Lloyd Luxton; historian, Raymond Dexter; sergeant-at-arms, John Meserve; delegates, Myron Scarborough, John Compass; alternates, Henry Bennett, Daniel Forbes.

JACKSON-SILVER UNIT, No. 66

Several members attended the Memorial Service at the Universalist Church Sunday, May 31. Miss Forbes spoke beautifully and her talk must have inspired all who were privileged to hear her.

Comrade Silas Keniston has been appointed Chief Observer for the observation post No. 68A. This post is functioning 24 hours a day. More help could be used. Can you give a few hours a week to this very important task?

Don't forget to listen to the monthly broadcast over WCOU June 11 at 11 a. m.

Sunday is "Avenge Pearl Harbor Day" Thousands of young men will pledge their lives to their country that day. What will you give to help insure Your Freedom? Surely you can do something!

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, June 7

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister

9.30 a. m. Sunday School.

Our regular morning service is omitted this week.

2.30 p. m. Baccalaureate Service, in the Commencement exercises of Gould Academy. The speaker will be Rev. John Robert Gae of Newport, Vt. Ward Steady of Berlin, N. H., will be organist. An offering will be taken at this service.

7.30 p. m. A Sacred Concert of organ music, with several solos, will be conducted by Ward Steady. All are invited.

METHODIST CHURCH

M. A. Gordon, pastor

9.45 Church School. Mrs. Leona Swan, supt. Classes for all.

11.00 Sunday morning worship

Special singing by Church Choir, Mrs. Mildred Lyon, director. Subject of sermon, "Divine Guidance." Regular monthly business meeting, 6.30 Epworth League.

The Women's Society of Christian Service meets with Mrs. Ethel and Miss Eugenia Haselton Thursday afternoon.

Keep thy heart with all diligence for out of it are the issues of life. Proverbs 4: 23.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services Sunday morning at 10.45.

"God is the only cause and creator" is the subject of the Lesson. Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 7.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHAPEL

Rev. Don Fife, Minister

Some 42 members and friends of the West Bethel Union Chapel responded to the tolling of the church bell to attend the first worship hour of the summer season last Sunday at 11 o'clock. The opening worship period followed the Memorial Day theme: Memorial Living: A Living Memorial. Miss Marilyn Abbott supplied appropriate music for the occasion, while Rev. Don Fife conducted the order of worship and brought the morning message. The worship hour was preceded by the regular 10 a. m. Sunday School.

In these days of tire, sugar, and gas rationing, we find the importance of cooperation and sharing brought very close to where we live. To make our church effective, unified, geared to "victory," it is necessary to share and cooperate in its endeavors. Thus, Sunday morning, June 7, will find West Bethel Union Church worshippers considering the topic, "Rationing Responsibility." We are all "co-workers together with God," and must "work, for the night is coming."

In recognition of those of this community who are graduating this year, the 7:30 worship hour June 7th will be devoted to a Commencement Message: "What Next?" Those to be honored are: Miss Ruth Walker, who finishes her work at Gould Academy this year, and the grades, Miss Colleen Bennett, Miss Ruth McInnis, Carroll Fitzgerald, Lawrence Kendall, and Albert Smith.

BIRTHS

At East Stoneham, May 31, to the wife of Leslie Richardson, a daughter.

At Plymouth, N. H., to the wife of Ray Jewel, formerly Helen Kimball of Albany, a son.

MARRIAGES

At West Paris, May 30, by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Miss Adeline Hewitt of Lexington, Maine, and Arthur Stevens of North Paris, and Miss Nellie May Hewitt of

BETHEL

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Lincoln Merrill was at his home over the week-end.

Mrs. Irvin French is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. James Lassiter is employed at a shoe shop in Auburn.

Howard Wescott of Springfield is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Inmah.

Mrs. Susie LaRue has returned from Boston, where she has spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wescott of Springfield, Mass., are guests of Mrs. Mabel Beckler.

Mrs. Carrie Merrill slipped and injured her leg, Wednesday, but is quite comfortable.

Dr. Homer E. Lawrence was at Portland, Tuesday, for his examination for the U. S. Army.

Miss Edna Young has returned home from South Portland, where she has had employment.

Mrs. Flora Gibbs is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Evan Wilson, and family at Northwest Bethel.

Alfred and Percy Hart of Magalloway spent Monday with Mrs. Hart and daughter, Madeline.

Miss Helen Lowe and Miss Frances Morrill of Portland spent the week-end with their parents.

Mrs. Win Churchill of West Paris spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Harold Stimans.

Mrs. Lillian Leighton returned to Portland Sunday night after spending a week with her parents.

Miss Barbara Hall of Portland is spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall.

Pvt. Henry Westleigh, who is stationed at Fort McClellan, Ala., has just received a sharpshooter's medal.

ALBANY TOWN HOUSE and Vicinity

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent

The Church Service Sunday was conducted by Mr. Bull with 11 present. Next Sunday the meeting will be held at the Church at the same time, 2:30 p. m. The first meeting of the Sunday School will be held at the Town House at 10:15 Sunday morning and plans for the summer will be discussed. As soon as arrangements can be made for transportation, the children will be conveyed to Hunt's Corner.

The shipyard workers from this vicinity spent the double holiday at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston and daughter, Phyllis, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Keniston were at L. J. Andrews' Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hall and family spent the weekend at Fred Littlefield's.

Mrs. Sarah Andrews and children and Mrs. Melba Hall and children attended the Memorial Day exercises at Bethel, Saturday.

Mrs. Florence Lapham, son, Stanley, and daughter, Marion, were in Lewiston one day last week.

Tenk Rugg has been helping Harlan Bumpus with his farming.

Lexington to Danford P. Bowie of Auburn.

At Hanover, May 26, by Rev. Warren Palmer, Miss Barbara Roxie Cummings of Hanover and Freeman Ellingwood of Oquossoc.

At Norway, May 30, by Rev. Truig Hoff, Miss Pauline Howe and G. Bernard Cushman, both of Norway.

DEATHS

At Mooselucmeguntic Lake, May 31, Jesse Vashaw, aged 35 years.

Pvt. Leroy Bennett Jr. arrived home this morning to spend the remainder of the week with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Edgerly and daughter, Jean, of Oxford visited his sister, Mrs. Virgie McMillin, recently.

Mrs. Wendell Gibbs and daughter, Nancy, are spending the month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lapham of Andover were guests of Mrs. Gilbert Brown and son several days last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson were in Portland, Monday, where the doctor took his examination for the U. S. Army.

Mrs. Jennie Coburn returned from Rumford, Monday, where she was called last week by the death of her mother.

Mrs. Gilbert Brown and son, Carlton, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Knight were in Kennebunk and Old Orchard, Sunday.

Mrs. H. H. Hastings and son, Henry, F. B. Merrill and Miss Harriet Merrill attended the Commencement exercises at Bowdoin College, Saturday.

Peter Schutt and Arthur Richardson are returning today from Boscawen Camps, where they have been since Monday.

Mrs. Everett Boothby and sons, Dick and Bob, and Stanley Newell of Westbrook called on Mrs. Virgie McMillin, Sunday.

Elwin Hardy of Camp Shelby, Miss., and Bernard McMillin of Hartford, Conn., called at Jack McMillin's Saturday night.

Mrs. Vertie Hutchins has returned to her home at Yarmouth, after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clark.

Mrs. Elizabeth Griffin, who underwent surgery at the C. M. G. Hospital last week is recovering as well as could be expected.

Miss Margaret Joy Tibbetts returned home Wednesday from Bryn Mawr College, where she has just received her Master degree.

Misses Catherine and Ethlyn McMillin of South Portland spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMillin.

Rodney Wentzell was home from Boston several days last week. The family, with Miss June Little of Boston, spent the week-end at Oquossoc.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn were Miss Mary Sanborn of Portland and George Taylor and Mr. Hubbard of New London, Conn.

P. F. C. Harold Swan of the Field Artillery, Fort Davis, Canal Zone, visited his sister, Mrs. Herbert Winslow, for a week over Memorial Day.

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Colby Robinson and Lucie Kimball were guests at Leon Kimball's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell Memorial Day.

Alice Wardwell attended the Memorial exercises at Bryant Pond.

Joseph Pechnik went home Thursday to attend the graduating exercises of Paris High School. His son, William, and daughter, Christina, were members of the class.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell were dinner guests of Olive Little, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring have moved to Hunt's Corner for the summer.

Susie Flint has been suffering with infection in her hand.

Alberta and Bessie Dunham are spending a few days with their aunt, Alice Wardwell.

Lilla Stearns is entertaining the German measles.

SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK

Week of June 1

Grade	Savings Bank Total	Per Cent
I	\$5.00	\$3.80 44
II	2.00	2.55 59
III	4.00	3.55 61
IV	1.00	2.10 69
V	\$12.00	\$12.00
VI	\$1.00	\$2.20 33
VII	3.00	1.30 58
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Melvyn Douglas

Fri.-Sat., June 12-13

A Date With the Falcon

George Sanders, Wendy Barrie

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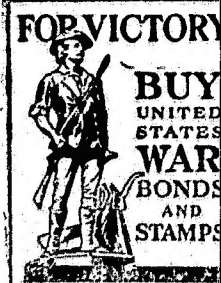
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